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THE PROVINCIAL SHOW

First Day of Show—Excellent Arrangements—Large Number of Exhibits.

A Tour of the Grounds and What He Saw—A Great Success.

The annual exhibition of the British Columbia Agricultural Association opens to-morrow at the grounds of the Association, Beacon Hill Park. The number of exhibits in the various classes are far in excess of any previous year, and at noon numbered over 1,000. The exhibition promises to be a grand display of the agricultural and manufacturing industries of the province, and are arranged with taste and judgment under the general superintendance of the energetic officers and committeemen, and no matter seems to be overlooked in the arrangement calculated to make the task of the judges light and agreeable and the display of the several exhibits attractive. It is hoped that the number of visitors will be large, thereby affording both confidence and encouragement to the exhibitors, many of whom have come from the far interior in order to compete, not for the intrinsic value of the prize, but with that true emulation at all times calculated to advance the welfare of any country, either new or old.

IN THE GROUNDS.

Entering the grounds we find ourselves confronted with the implements and produce of peaceful husbandry, and those of horrid war, the two guns in the yard contrasting grimly with the industrial surroundings. Facing the entrance, we find a large and well assorted display of carriages, phaetons, buckboards, spring wagons, express wagons, sleighs and cutters, all light driving, and none of the heavy lumber or farmer wagon variety. As to what use cutters are in a climate like Victoria, it is hard to imagine, a few days at most sufficing for sleighing purposes. Still, they are there to remind the easterner of "the merry sleigh bells" of countries far away, and memories of moonlight rides o'er the crisp snow in days gone by. The muzzle of a gun looks angrily through the maze of vehicles, and we pass on to the vegetables, beneath the temporary roof of a long shed. Here are to be found monster mangolds, beets, turnips, potatoes, pumpkins, squash, marrow, cucumbers, onions, beans, carrots, parsnips, celery, cabbages, cauliflowers, corn, black Spanish raddish, and green peas, etc., etc., etc. The peas are a unique production for the season of the year. Potatoes there are also of various varieties, large, clean, and tempting enough to make the heart of an Irishman glad. The display of roots and vegetables, although not as large as might have been expected, exhibit a quality in size, and substance to warrant the saying that the soil and climate of British Columbia will grow anything in this line. Passing on we find ourselves amongst

THE POULTRY,

Pigeons, rabbits, etc. Here are to be seen a splendid exhibition of the feathered tribes. There are over forty cases of pigeons, comprising from the feathered-toed pouter to the gentle emblems of innocence, the dove. We have pouters, tumblers, carriers, ring doves, even to what we took for the common wood-guest. The exhibits in this class are very creditable. Adjoining the pigeons we find a few cages of the domesticated rabbit, mostly of the long lop-eared species. Of domestic fowls, though not as many entries as there should be, the specimens shewn are well worthy of any country. We find a splendid collection of the black Spanish, perfect pictures—an exhibition almost in themselves—while the Plymouth rocks, cochins, Shanghai, leghorns, all vie with each other in points of excellence. As you pass through, lost in admiration of the giants, don't fail to notice the diminutive specimens opposite. Here you'll find the silky Japanese, and Bantams. One family of the latter, father, mother and children are well worthy of a few moment's admiration. You'll see the game fowl too. Some of the cocks well trimmed and ready for the fray, of which they seem to lately have had a taste. They are fine models of their class. There are a few pens of geese, which for size, would defy competition in any country. There is also a fair exhibit of ducks. In the rear of the poultry we find the

SHEEP AND PIGS.

There are some dozen or so pens of sheep, Leicesters, Hampshire Downs, Norfolk, &c. The Hampshire Downs are imported stock, and the country seems to agree with them. A large quantity of sheep being raised in the province, it would be expected that the competitors would have been more numerous; however, the specimes exhibited tell well for the sheep farming qualities of British Columbia. The display of pigs, although not large, in quality will bear favorable comparison with specimens elsewhere. They are principally of the Berkshire breed. One fine litter is well worthy of notice. Passing into the cattle yard we find a splendid collection of

THE BOVINE RACE,

Shorthorns, Durhams, Jerseys, Holsteins, and some fine grade cattle. A fine herd were brought over from the mainland. They exhibit all the points of excellence claimed for them as dairy cattle, and are a worthy feature of the show. The Jerseys are also fine specimens of their class, mild, pretty looking animals. There are some splendid exhibits of the pure Shorthorned and Durham breeds, the Polled Angus being absent. We were permitted to have a look at two fine short horned bulls bred by Mr. Tolmie. They are without exception the finest specimens on the coast, and it will be a hard task for the judges to decide whether the champion from Nanaimo, or the one from Victoria will be awarded the red ribbon. The bulls are jealously guarded by grooms and otherwise titivated up for the inspection of the judges. The exhibit on the grounds of

HORSES.

At present is small; all are locked in their several stalls. The competition under this class promises to be sharp. The ring is the proper place to judge of a horses qualities, therefore our remarks must be deferred till the proper time.

IN THE BUILDING.

A general review of the inside show is not unsatisfactory. In most lines it is quite up to the previous years and in some it excels. There is more room than formerly and consequently everything is scattered over more ground. To nothing is there a falling off unless it is in the products of the dairy. This department up to the time of writing does not appear to be as well represented as formerly.

BOTANICAL.

On entering the hall from the main entrance at the west end, a beautiful collection of flowers is the first thing to strike the eye. Here is found a varied and complete assortment of plants and flowers that are indigenous to the soil of British Columbia, and tender exotics. The exhibit is made by three local florists. The best lost includes fuchas, verbenas, gladiolas, geraniums, petunias, pansies and many other well-know flowers.

GRAINS.

This department is filling up fast. Among the varieties shown are some unusually fine wheat and barley, the former grown at Chilliwhack, and the latter in Saanich. The wheat is a plump round grain, the only fault to be found with it being that it is a little soft. The peas and oats are good, and the show of oatmeal and flour, of local manufacture, is very fine.

IMPORTED AND MANUFACTURED.

Victoria's principal soap manufacturer is again to the front with a perfumed castle of his samples, which forms one of the most conspicuous features of the exhibition. The soap castle with with an elaborate display of cooking ranges, cooking stoves, parlor and hall stoves, grates, etc, musical instruments by local dealers and a furniture dealers booth occupies the centre of the ground floor. Leading tanners and boot and shoe manufacturers and dealers have a good display of their wares. The book binding, label printing, lithographic, christmas card and photograph department is very pretty. An interesting feature in connection with the bookbinding is a directory of varied colored paper illustrating the advance in population in the province.

PAINTING.

A number of water color paintings of local scenery are shown, some of them very nice pieces of art. Crayon work and oil paintings are also among the collection.

FRUITS.

This department at the time of writing was not in keeping with previous years, but before evening it may be quite up to the standard, as entries were rapidly coming in.

FANCY WORK.

The display of fancy articles were quite good. Some dazzlingly pretty crazy quilts are exhibited, as well as many other beautiful results of woman's handiwork.

TAXIDERMISTRY.

A local taxidermist has a collection of native birds and animals that is very interesting. Every fowl of the air from the eagle to the humming bird is represented there and the visitor is struck with the variety. Few people imagine that we have so great a variety of beautifully plumaged birds.

ALBERNI EXHIBIT.

The Alberni corner is an interesting feature of the show and well calculated to bring the capabilities of that rich district before the public in a prominent manner. The collection embraces splendid apples, pears, plums, egg plant, corn, squash, potatoes, turnips, tomatoes, grain, carrots and other varieties.

GENERAL NOTES.

The judges will commence the awarding of the prizes this afternoon and the exhibition will be formally opened by His Honor the Lieutenant Governor at 2 p. m., to-morrow, when the exhibition will be thrown open to the public. C Battery band will be attendance and will perform a select *moucrau* of music during the afternoon. The annual banquet will be held at the Clarence Hotel this evening.

The prize list will appear in to-morrow evening's issue.

THE CHINESE POPULATION.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE TIMES:

SIR,—An article appeared last night in an evening squib on Langley street, from which the following is quoted:

"Let our rich men and merchants cease employing Chinese help; let every man erecting a building, and every contractor undertaking a contract, make it a part of the agreement that no Chinese labor should be employed; let every mechanic and workman refuse to work on a contract where a Chinaman is engaged; let our citizens refuse to purchase at a store where Chinese local productions are sold; let one and all refuse to use anything upon which Chinese labor has been used; let those who are using Chinamen as servants dismiss them; let our housewives refuse John the washing of the establishment, or to buy his vegetables or fruit; and we venture to assert that a Chinese Exclusion Bill will be unnecessary, and our present Mongolian population would not long trouble us."

Nothing is said regarding the letting of shoe stores on our business streets to a Mongolian horde. Practice what you preach, Mr. Editor, and do not make promises which are as easily broken as pie-crusts. You have soothed your white tenants by promising to let no more stores to Chinese. This may be the reason for their quietness after the storm they raised about your ears. In another portion of the article is found the following:

"We must admit that we do not believe the Chinese to be an element for success or advancement in any community, and should be well pleased to see every pig-tailed head, and felt-soled foot relegated to its own celestial country; but we have no sympathy with the insincere outcries of those who, while loudest in their assertions that they should be banished, are nevertheless the cause of their remaining, and believe the cry is but too frequently raised by interested parties for political or other selfish purposes."

The truth is apparent in the last quotation. Whilst Mr. DeCosmos sought political honors he often raised the anti-Chinese cry, and on one occasion ordered a gentleman from his august presence because he wished to rent the store in question to teach Chinese pupils. Consistency is a jewel, which is not at present shining on the lordly bosom of the editor of the evening echo. LABOR.

Victoria, October 2, 1888.

W. C. T. U. Convention.

The Provincial W. C. T. U. of British Columbia will meet in its fifth annual convention in this city October 8th, 9th and 10th. There will be a morning and evening session, opening at 10 a. m. and 2 p. m. each day. Public meetings will be held each evening, when interesting programmes will be presented. Good music will be furnished by prominent leaders. All sessions are open to the public and a cordial invitation is extended to all to attend. o3 4t

TO-DAY'S DISPATCHES.

Senator Blair of New Hampshire Wants to Buy Canada—Sues for Peace.

The U. S. Wants Co-Operation in Keeping Out Chinese—An Alaska Crime.

New York, Oct. 4—A Washington special says: "Senator Morgan confirmed last night's rumor that the Republican members of the Senate Committee on Foreign Relations made an effort to spike Cleveland's retaliatory message by passing a resolution empowering the President to open negotiations with Great Britain for the purchase of Canada. The price to be paid was the assumption of Canada's debt of $300,000,000 by the U. S." Senator Morgan said: "Senator Blair of New Hampshire put a resolution before the committee empowering the President to open negotiations, but no action has been taken upon it. I think the opinion of the committee is that the resolution is premature. It would not be at all likely to receive favorable consideration on the part of Great Britain or Canada."

DIVORCE GRANTED.

San Francisco, Sept. 4—Judge Hunt to-day granted Richard H. McDonald, jr., son of D. McDonald, President of the Pacific Bank, a divorce from Clara Belle McDonald, on the ground of adultery. The custody of the child was awarded to Mrs. McDonald until further orders of court. Mrs. McDonald was also awarded $1250 counsel fees.

Mrs. Macdonald will appeal the case and press the suit for half a million dollars against her father-in-law, for alienating her husband's affections.

CO-OPERATION WANTED.

Washington, Oct. 4—The resolution was introduced into the Senate by Jones, of Nevada, requesting the President to negotiate treaties with the British Government and with Mexico, which will secure the co-operation of those governments in excluding Chinese laborers from the North American continent and in preventing their entrance into the territory of the United States from the territory of either of these governments, or from their dependencies. Referred to committee on foreign affairs.

AN ALASKA CRIME.

San Francisco, Oct. 4—Louis Sharp, who is alleged to have killed Wm. H. Dingley and dangerously wounded Jas. O'Brien at Sand Point, Popoff Island, in Alaska, on September 5th, has been turned over to the federal authorities by Captain Sheppard, of the revenue cutter Rush. His preliminary examination will be held to-morrow morning, after which he will probably be returned to Sitka for trial.

REFINERIES CLOSED.

Brooklyn, Oct. 4—Agreeable to the order issued by President Theodore A. Havemeyer, of the sugar trust, two large sugar refineries closed to-day at noon. A thousand men are out of work.

SUED FOR PEACE.

Calcutta, Oct. 4—The Rajah of Nikkim, who began hostilities leading to the Thibetan invasion, has sued the British for peace.

Calcutta, Oct. 4—The Thibetan war has ended, the Rajah of Aikim, who began hostilities, having surrendered to the British.

GEORGIA ELECTION.

Atlanta, Georgia, Oct. 4—The State election has resulted in the election of the complete Democratic ticket, headed by Governor John B. Gordon.

CHINESE IN TRANSIT.

Washington, Oct. 4—Assistant Secretary of the Treasury Maynard is of opinion that no Chinese in transit will be allowed to land under the new exclusion law.

THE SUBSTITUTE BILL.

The Republican substitute for the Mills Tariff Bill will be called up on Monday for consideration, and its discussion will probably not continue longer than two weeks, when Congress will either adjourn or take recess until after the election.

SPORTING NOTES.

The Lacrosse Match To-Morrow—A Baseball Game, &c., &c.

The following players will represent Victoria in the lacrosse match to-morrow: Whyte, Cullin, Mackenzie, Wade, Ledingham, G. Tite, Cusack, Kenney, Clark, Cox, C. Tite, Drummond. The following compose the Vancouver team: Sucking, Bingham, Murphy, Simpson, Morral, Godfrey, Rankin, D. Smith, J. Smith, Davidson, Law, Gootean. There will be very little change in the teams as played in Kamloops. Morrow and Clark will not play in the Victoria team and Wade and Norval in the Vancouver. A splendid match may be expected. The game will commence at 3 p. m. sharp to-morrow.

BASEBALL.

The only entries made for the prize offered by the B. C. Agricultural Association were by the Amities, James Bay's and Mapleleafs; all the outside teams considering the amount too small to travel the distance for and take chances of winning. The Mapleleafs and James Bays will play to-morrow morning and the Amities will play the winners on Saturday morning. The following are the competing nines to-morrow morning:

JAMES BAY.	POSITION.	MAPLE LEAF.
F Jackson	Pitcher	J Pierre
J Hannan	Catcher	D Haguart
F Mallendaine	First Base	J Meldrum
F Widdowson	Second Base	F Clyde
T Mount	Third Base	F Robertson
W Deasy	Short Stop	G Beckingham
D Sullivan	Left Field	Jackson
F Hoops	Centre Field	J Evans
W Franklin	Right Field	M Deaphin

Game will commence at 9:30 a. m., and a closely contested match is expected.

FOOTBALL MATCH.

A game between our local club and the Nanaimo "Rovers" will take place on Beacon Hill at 3 o'clock on Saturday afternoon. The Victoria Club will consist of Messrs. Coombe, McKenzie, Ransom, White, Martin, Barnard, Drake, Langley, F. Pemberton, C. Pemberton, Hibben, Pugh, Allison, Clark and Earsman.

The Right Time.

Probably there is no period in life more important for the mental and moral training of youths than that between eight and seventeen years of age. If the spring-time of life is well employed, good results may be expected in after years. No better preparation can be afforded boys in this province than that which may be obtained at Corrig School, which is already largely patronized, and which is weekly increasing in number.

EASTERN PROVINCES.

M. P. Unseated—Cardwell Election—The Tobique River Tragedy.

Special to THE TIMES.]

Port Arthur, Oct. 4—The propeller Wiattawa and consort Gibraltar foundered in Lake Huron during the storm day before yesterday. They were on their way to French River for cargoes of lumber. The crews escaped.

Andover, Oct. 4—A verdict of manslaughter was returned against Philippe and Trafton, who shot Mrs. Howes, the wife of the Mayor of Boston, on Tobique river. They were sentenced to fifteen years. The affair grew out of preserving salmon and fishing. The farmers poached and were driven off by shots from the keeper. They then went away for guns, returned and shot at the keeper, killing the lady instead.

Mono Mills, Oct. 4—R. S. White was elected for Cardwell by a hundred and twelve majority over Stubbs. Both are conservatives.

Brighton, Oct. 4—Mr. Cochrane, the member for East Northumberland, was unseated yesterday for bribery by agents.

FROM MONTREAL.

Presbyterians Protest—Annexation Discussed—To Build a Palace.

Special to THE TIMES.]

Montreal, Oct. 4—The Montreal Presbytery to-day passed resolutions protesting against the provincial government paying compensation for Jesuits estates, and decided to memorialize the Dominion Government asking them to veto the measure.

The *Star*, in an editorial says, that annexation being discussed with freedom, brings it within the limits of political issue. It attributes this to the extravagance of the government in piling up the debt and calls on the public men for higher patriotism.

Mr. Chapleau has bought *La Minerve*, the oldest paper in the city and one of the oldest papers in Canada. Its more enterprising rivals have recently been cutting seriously into its business.

Duncan McIntyre has bought an eighty thousand dollars property on the mountain side as a site for a palace.

THE ANCIENT CAPITAL.

A Starving Village—The Late Veto and a Possible Result.

Special to THE TIMES.]

Quebec, Oct. 4—The Legislature will be summoned in November.

News from Moise, a fishing village on the Gulf of St. Lawrence, is to the effect that the fisheries and crops having both failed, the inhabitants are threatened with starvation.

An extra official *Gazette* contains a proclamation constituting a new Magistrate's Court at Montreal, with the same officers as in the court killed by the federal veto. As the matter of veto will be taken up in the commons by the Liberals, and as by arrangement all the French members were elected as Independents and will join them, Sir John may be defeated.

ONTARIO'S CAPITAL.

Hon. Edward Blake Abandons Politics—Six Inches of Snow.

Special to THE TIMES.]

Toronto, Oct. 4—Hon. Ed. Blake has recovered his health, but has definitely decided to abandon political life. He will resume the practice of law as the head of a firm made up of himself, brother, son and nephew.

The branch of Scottish Home Rule Association was formed here yesterday with Dr. Daniel Clark as President.

Six inches of snow fell in Western Ontario yesterday.

THE CAPITAL.

Railway Case Before the Privy Council—Provincial Rights.

Special to THE TIMES.]

Ottawa, Oct. 4—The Railway Committee of the Privy Council yesterday heard the application of the Manitoba Government for leave to cross the C. P. R. branches at two places with roads now building. The counsel for the C. P. R. disputed the right of the Manitoba Legislature to authorize the building of these lines, since by act of the Dominion Parliament all roads connecting with or crossing the C. P. R., or intending to do so, were declared of federal importance and within the jurisdiction of parliament. Decision was reserved.

THE PRAIRIE PROVINCE.

Contract Signed With N. P. R. and Roads Handed Over.

Special to THE TIMES.]

Winnipeg, Man. Oct. 4—The government yesterday signed the contract with the Manitoba and Northern Pacific Railway Co., and an extra *Gazette* was issued proclaiming the contract. The road already built and in the course of construction was handed over to the company.

THE ROYAL CITY.

Two Deaths From Smallpox at Clover Valley—The Sawmill.

Special to THE TIMES.]

New Westminster, Oct. 4—Up to date there have been two deaths from smallpox in Clover Valley—James Walworth, aged 46 years and Mrs. Charles Walworth, aged 28 years. The remaining persons afflicted are Mrs. Walworth, Charles, Bertha and Alfred Walworth, Graham and Thos. Fielding. The report that Indians at Mud Bay are afflicted with the disease has been contradicted. All the patients are now receiving the best of treatment.

Mr. Higgins, the gentleman who represents the Ross-McLaren Lumber Co., has just returned from Ottawa and states that that company will commence the erection of a sawmill on Fraser river at once. They expect to have it in operation about June next.

The remains of the late H. R. Holden were interred in the Masonic cemetery at Sapperton this morning. They were followed to the grave by a large number of sorrowing friends.

At 1 p. m. at the time the despatch left the Caledonians were marching in procession to the picnic grounds, headed by their pipers. The weather is most beautiful. A number of strangers are in the city.

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ALD. COUGHLAN.

Ald. COUGHLAN did not elevate himself very much at the Council meeting last night, by his puerile attack upon THE TIMES. When he rose to a question of privilege, and called attention to the report of the Council proceedings in THE TIMES, if he had any valid objection, or any proper grievance, he ought to have defined it. If there was an error in our report it should be pointed out. He did neither; the threat of the bellicose Alderman to discontinue THE TIMES' share of corporation advertising, is unworthy of an Alderman. The proposition is an indication of the tyranny of the nature that conceived it, and an evidence of what Ald. COUGHLAN would do if he only had the power. Do the people of Johnson Street Ward support Ald. COUGHLAN in these eccentricities, and are they prepared to endorse his actions by re-electing him? Time will tell.

THE CITY TREASURER.

At the meeting of the council last night, Mr. SIMEON DUCK, M.P.P., was appointed treasurer of the municipality in place of THOS. RUSSELL, who has left the city for causes now well known to every person. The appointment, in so far as we are able to judge from a limited acquaintance with the new official, is neither a very good nor yet a very bad one. We believe that Mr. DUCK possesses, excepting in the all important particular of clerical knowledge of the work—all the qualifications essential to a proper discharge of the duties of the position. Notwithstanding the fact that we have been politically opposed to him since he proved himself unfaithful to his professions as a party politician, we believe him to be personally an honest man. He is a clear-headed, practical, plodding citizen, who has acquired by industry and perseverance a competency for himself and family, and attained a position in public life that indicates the possession of abilities which will have full play in the position of Finance Minister for the Corporation. But Mr. DUCK is neither an accountant nor a book-keeper, and if he fails at all, it will be because his early training has disqualified him for the laborious clerical work that constitutes the chief occupation of the incumbent of the office of treasurer and collector. Given a knowledge of book-keeping, and a science for figures, we believe it would be difficult to find a person that could more acceptably discharge the onerous and important duties of the post. There were among the numerous applicants several better qualified by training and experience, but it is doubtful if, all things considered, a better selection could have been made. From the finance ministership of a commonwealth to the treasurership of a city is perhaps a retrogression, but if the duties of the higher office were discharged "with credit to himself and honor to the state," as his organ once claimed was the case, his incumbency of the lesser position will possibly bring no discredit upon his name. Mr. DUCK, you have our congratulations in accordance with the spirit of these remarks, and we hope you may long live to guard with jealous care the shekels of the outraged taxpayer.

The acceptance of this position will of necessity cause a new election in Victoria. Although the law does not forbid the holding of the dual positions, it would practically be impossible for Mr. DUCK—who notwithstanding his name is not a bird—to be in two places at one and the same time, or to discharge the duties of the respective positions in a manner pleasing even to himself. It is probable, therefore, that there will be an election at an early day to choose a successor. In that event, what are the electors going to do about it?

TEMPORARY MARRIAGES.

An English lady "of good social position and advanced views in religion" has created a social sensation by advocating terminable marriages. She is not a disciple of the free love school, but for the perpetual marriage she favors the substitution of a contract terminable at the option of either party in case they find one another unsuitable. The experiment was tried many years ago with peculiar and unsatisfactory results. It is said that it was not safe at the time to refer to a lady's husband unless there was some certainty that he still occupied that relation, and that one lady attended the funeral of her twenty-fourth husband, she having been his twenty-third wife. It is altogether likely that the terminable marriage idea, if adopted, as it certainly will not be, would result in a similar degredation of the relation at the present day. The loose divorce laws that prevail in some of the United States are bad enough without subjecting the most sacred and binding contract that people can enter into to the whim and caprice of every one who may lightly enter into it. It is said that even in the States, where divorces are easily granted, the present tendency is in favor of greater restrictions rather than more laxity, a fact that tells strongly against the theory of the English social reformer.

EDITORIAL NOTES.

The name of Dr. Watt, of Barkerville, was mentioned some time ago by a correspondent of the TIMES as a probable candidate for the district of Cariboo for the House of Commons. Dr. Watt was at the same time described as a Liberal, and for that reason it was thought he would be unable to carry the constituency. Although we are disposed to question the conclusion arrived at by our correspondent "X" in regard to the supposed liberalism of Dr. Watt handicapping him in the race, it is needless to discuss the point, for Doctor Watt will not, at the present juncture at all events, be a candidate. The death of his wife—an estimable lady—while visiting friends at Meaford, Ontario, is a great affliction to the doctor, and has confirmed him in his wish to remain out of public life. We deeply regret the cause of Dr. WATT'S retirement, for although we might have been called upon to disagree with his candidature had he remained in the field, we recognize his many qualifications, and deeply sympathise with the motives that influenced him in coming to this decision, which, it is needless to say, we have authority for announcing.

CITY COUNCIL.

Appointment of S. Duck as Treasurer Ald. Coughlan Heard From.

The usual weekly meeting was held last evening at 8 o'clock. Present: His Worship the Mayor, Aldermen Powell, Coughlan, Styles, Vigelius, Penwill, Wilson, Braden, Kelly and Harris.

Minutes of meeting held on preceding Wednesday and special meetings were read by Acting Clerk Partridge, and on motion adopted. The acting clerk reported that a writ was served on the Council this morning to issue a pawnbroker's license to a Chinaman named Gat Wing. The license was issued.

His Worship said he issued the license after consulting the legal advisers. They considered that a by-law should be framed to place these pawnbrokers under the police surviliance and suggesting the passage of an act which would cover pawnbrokers and would hold water.

PRIVILEGE.

Ald. Coughlan said he rose to a question of privilege. He held in his hand a copy of THE TIMES containing a report of the meeting last Wednesday night regarding his words when addressing Alderman Wilson. The report was incorrect and was only in keeping with the action of that paper for the past two years. The majority have been held up as boodlers and for conscientiously holding out for the rights of the people they were always condemned by that paper. He intended to move next Wednesday night that the patronage of the City Council be cut off from that paper.

His Worship—Would it not be advisable to include the *Colonist* and *Standard* in the motion. (Applause). I am sure that those papers have treated me in a most *gentlemanly* manner. (Applause).

COMMUNICATIONS.

From W. McKeon & Son asking for a sidewalk on Yates street near the Oriental Hotel. Referred to Street Committee.

From Sing Kee, offering $125 for a license to sell opium for the balance of the year. Ald. Harris moved, seconded by Ald. Braden, that nothing less than the full amount be received from the applicant. Carried.

From the Standard Carbon Company, of Cleveland, Ohio, offering to sell carbon to the Corporation. Referred to the Electric Light Committee.

AUDITOR AND TREASURER.

The Clerk announced that he received a number of applications for Auditor and City Treasurer.

His Worship—I may say that the applications were opened in the Mayor's office and a vote taken. Mr. Duck received a majority of votes in the office; but it was necessary to read the names of applicants and elect a Treasurer in the regular way.

The names of the applicants were then read. They were: S P Tuck, Simeon Duck, G Mesher, C F Moore, E Pearson, H S Fairhall, G A Sargison, W Harvey, A Lindsay, F Pauline, T Gowdy, J E Anderson, G Berridge, P Schwenger and H F Seaton.

A vote was taken when Simeon Duck received five votes, S P Tuck, four votes.

Moved and seconded that the election of Mr Duck be confirmed and that his bon is be not less than $10,000. Carried.

Ald. Coughlan moved that the election of an auditor should lay over for one week. Seconded by Ald. Kelly. Carried.

His Worship said the Auditor will be an important office and should receive a higher salary and give bonds. This office required a good competent man.

MONTHLY ACCOUNTS.

For the month of September, aggregating $2,963.17, were read and referred to Finance Committee.

REPORTS.

From Theo. Davie, acting City Barrister, reporting that Mr. J. D. Robinson produced receipts from T. Russell for over $3000. Roughly estimated the auditors found that over $2,000 was due the city by Mr. Robinson for police court fines and fees. He criticized the action of the mayors and finance committees since 1886.

His Worship said he did not intend to cavil with Mr. Davie's report which contained a statement incorrect in at least one particular. The portion referred to was that monies received prior to 1886 had been accounted for. For some years before that time the Clerk had considerable money in his possession.

A motion to lay the matter over until Monday night was carried.

Ald. Harris wished to inform members of the electric light and street committee that a meeting will be held on Thursday evening.

Moved and carried that the sum of $200 be refunded to the Dominion Government. This sum was received from John Begg for an infraction of the excise laws.

Ald. Harris moved that the banks be notified that Mr. Simeon Duck has been elected as City Treasurer and that on and after the 8th instant, he shall be authorized to sign all cheques. Seconded by Ald. Vigelius and carried.

Ald. Styles moved that the present auditors and Finance Committee be directed to prepare a proper and efficient system of book keeping for the city. Seconded by Ald. Powell and carried.

Ald. Powell moved that applications be received for the position of City Clerk and that no applications be received excepting from legal gentlemen. The motion was withdrawn.

Ald. Braden said the case of Mr. Hendry was laid over for one week. The matter had been taken to the Supreme Court and a jury of citizens concluded that Mr. Hendry should be paid. The gentleman was very sick and perhaps would not be able to get up again. In order to stop any more trouble he would move that Mr. Hendry be paid the sum which would cover six months salary. Seconded and carried.

A discussion arose regarding a claim for $400 made by Joseph Phœnix. Ald. Braden was in favor of paying the full claim instead of giving that amount and more to lawyers besides being compelled to pay the claim after all. He did not think it was any use for this Council to take the case into the Supreme Court, as it would be surely decided against the corporation.

Council then adjourned until Monday evening next.

OUR TOWN MAJOR.

Salvation Army and City Council—The Sublime and Ridiculous.

Passing down Fort street, four or five blue jackets were observed in a tombstone shop. The congregating of such proverbially jolly fellows in a place of mourning was remarkable. Enquiring the cause, the Major learned that the gallant fellows had, while on this station, buried a couple of their comrades, and as they were shortly to leave "for England, home and beauty," they were about having a last token of remembrance placed over the grave of their chums. Here was a lesson in true friendship and Christian kindness to be learned from these rough, good natured fellows. When the time comes to sing "All in the downs the fleet lay moored," and the "black-eyed Susans" of the departed comrades come on board and do not find their "Williams amongst the gallant crew," how tenderly will those hearts of oak break the sad news to the bereaved. The incident was a lesson in true comradeship.

Pondering over the above incident, the Major joined the Salvation Army. He expected to see some of the repentant Aldermen there, but was disappointed.

Finding little consolation in the songs of the army, and the way the "Captain rattled the tambo," the army marched off to their barracks and the Major marched off to the city hippodrome. The circus was crowded, and it was nearly half-past eight o'clock when the Mayor put in an appearance. The reception accorded His Worship as he emerged from the trap door in the stage was one worthy of the City of Victoria; it continued until he took his seat. What a lesson to traducers! The vilefying sheet, the *Colonist*, puts the incident thus: "When the Aldermen made their appearance, etc, they were received with applause." That's only a *Colonist* lie.

The apprentice joker, after the preliminaries had been gone through, in his usual inane drawl, opened the performance: "Us Aldermen w-a-s swo-r-n," Sworn! God bless the mark. You swore to lay your claws on ——, but, never mind, you were never sworn to muzzle the press.

When His Worship announced that the newly elected treasurer would have to furnish $10,000 it was received with applause. The performance on the whole was not so interesting as the last. The performers were not in good form and the ring-master appeared to suffer under a depression. The attack on the TIMES showed the way the wind blew. His Worship's remarks, anent the *Colonist* attack on himself were received with applause, a sure indication of the feeling of the people. THE TOWN MAJOR.

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VANCOUVER COLUMN.

The Particulars of Two Late Accidents—A Busy Scene Unloading Steamers.

A Happy Wedding—The School in the Bog—C. P. R. Passengers, Etc.

From Our Own Correspondent.]

Vancouver, Oct. 3—The weather continues delightfully fine. The days are bright with sunshine, the nights agreeably mild.

Box drains in connection with the surfaces drainage system are being put down in various parts of the city.

Every man who feels like handling a pick, axe, shovel, hammer or saw can find work in the Empire City.

Last night a crowd of men were engaged in laying the water pipes by lamp light across Carroll street, near the Burrard corner, so that traffic might not be obstructed to-day. While thus engaged a most strange and melancholy accident occurred to a workman named Henry Hall. About half-past eight he was assisting to lay some pipes in the drain along Cordova street when he suddenly fell head foremost into the ditch which was nearly three feet deep, and at the bottom of which was the gas main. His head became wedged between this and the bank, and his body falling over, dislocated his neck. Moaning piteously he was removed into Capt. Clement's office, where Dr. Beckingsall, who happened to be passing, attended him till life became extinct. Dr. Bell-Irving was summoned by telephone, but he only arrived in time to see the unfortunate man breathe his last, which he did within ten minutes after the accident. Deceased was a Norwegian and between 40 and 45 years of age. He was not much known in this city, having come here from the Fraser river about two weeks ago. It is said that he was well known by the longshoremen of Nanaimo, with whom he worked for some time. Report says he was subject to fits and it is supposed that he was seized with one which caused him to fall so unaccountably. The body was removed to the morgue last night. The coroner after hearing the facts, decided that an inquest would be unnecessary. The funeral will take place to-morrow.

Yesterday afternoon a very serious accident occurred to a man who was assisting a family to move into the Horae block on Cordova street. He was putting up a bedstead, when the head piece fell, and striking him on the head, inflicting a serious wound and it is feared the skull is fractured. Dr. McAlpine was called and after dressing the man's wounds, he conveyed him to his house.

Some few days ago, Johnny, the youngest son of Chief Stewart, was hammering away at a rock when a piece flew off and struck him on the ball of the eye. Since then the eye has seriously inflamed and it is feared that he will lose the sight of it, as a cataract has formed which the doctors say can not be removed probably for a year or two.

Mr. J. M. Munro, carpenter, met with a painful accident a few days ago by getting the fore finger of his left hand broken and the middle one badly crushed between two logs.

The C. P. R. wharf presented a busy scene yesterday, where lay the S.S. Duke of Westminster, discharging a mammoth cargo from one side while on the other she was receiving coal from the Robt. Kerr and the S. S. Batavia, beside which lay the first steamer which passed through the Suez Canal—the Danube—discharging her freight of Portland flour into the former, and the Tacoma whose hands were busily engaged in the transhipment of local freight. Owing to a scarcity of men to engage in the unloading of the steamship, the Batavia had to delay taking on her cargo to-day. Another steamer was added to the number already crowded along the dock this morning by the arrival of the steamer Al-ki from Frisco, deeply laden. The steamer Mexico arrived this afternoon from the same port also deeply loaded.

The Misses Dool, from England, are opening a kindergarten school in this city.

The Atlantic Express arrived on time yesterday afternoon with 130 passengers, 16 missionaries from various points in the east for China, and 15 Chinese in bond from New York for Hongkong.

About six o'clock last evening a horse attached to a milk wagon ran furiously down Water street, and turned into Carroll, where he was stopped before any damage was done beyond a vigorous churning of the milk.

Mr. W. C. Copeland, General Secretary of the Winnipeg Y. M. C. A., writes to this city for information concerning the whereabouts of a young man named Robert Tainsh.

The tug Vancouver arrived yesterday afternoon with the tug Mamie, which had been stranded on Texada Island, in tow. The Mamie is not much injured and will soon be ready for service again.

The Government has undertaken to make the necessary alterations in the West End school house, and it intends to charge the contractor with the expenses. The school will be ready for occupation next week.

Last evening was made the occasion of a most auspicious event by the marriage of Officer J. T. Abray, of the city police force, to Miss Abigal Maude, second daughter of Mr. Wm. Martin, jovial proprietor of the Burrard Hotel, at which place the bonds were solemnized in the presence of a few invited friends and relations, by Rev. F. G. Thomson, of the First Presbyterian Church. The charming Miss Carrie Zwicker and the gallant E. R. Martin, brother of the bride, acted as attendants. The happy couple were the recipients of numerous costly presents and warm congratulations, which testified to the high esteem in which they are held by their host of friends.

At an early hour this morning the steamer Glad Tidings, Capt. Alwer, in entering the harbor, m'stook the electric light at the corner of Water street and Westminster avenue for the city wharf light and ran ashore. At low tide she was nearly high and dry. She is uninjured and will likely float off at high tide this evening. The Rev. Mr. Crosby, wife and family were on board. Mrs. Crosby and family are on their way to the east on a visit. X.

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A Success.

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Children Cry for Pitcher's Castoria.

FROM BARKERVILLE.

The Test Mill—Death of Mrs. Watt—Mining, &c.

From Our Own Correspondent.]

Barkerville, Sept 28—We have been favored with the beautiful weather known as Indian summer lately, and everything is lovely and everybody in good spirits. The heavily loaded trail team with the smelting machinery is making slow progress towards its destination, and will be in (barring break downs) some time to-day. The building will be ready for its reception, Mr. Knott having made commendable progress with his contract.

The flags were sorrowfully drooping at half-mast on Wednesday in testifying the last token of respect to the estimable lady, Mrs. Dr. Watt, whose death was announced by telegraph from the east where she had been visiting friends prior to leaving for Barkerville where she formerly resided. The Doctor has the sympathy of the citizens here in his affliction. The deceased lady was much esteemed and her many good qualities are recounted by sympathizing friends.

An attack of measles has been recorded, a most unusual thing for this part of the world where diseases of the kind are almost unknown.

Renewed activity is observable among the quartz miners, and locations have been again re-staked that have been idle for some time. The Sergeant Lindsay ledge, Dunfrin and others are already getting out quartz for a test.

TELEGRAPHIC NEWS.

Cable and American Dispatches—Interesting Items.

ADVANCE IN FLOUR.

Minneapolis, Oct. 2—Flour has advanced here $2 within two months, and it is predicted it will touch $10 a barrel. Pillsbury, the head of the largest flour mill in the world, says: "We have had quite a squall in prices, but that is nothing to the cyclone that is coming later on."

London, Oct. 2—The Corn Millers' Association at Leeds to-day advanced the price of flour 1 shilling 6 pence per bag of 18 stone, making a rise of 7 shillings within seven weeks. The advance is due to the poor condition of the English and the increased values of foreign wheat.

THE SUBSTITUTE BILL.

Washington, Oct. 3—The Senate finance committee's proposed substitute for the Mills bill provides for a reduction in the annual revenue of about $75,000,000, as follows: On sugar, $27,700,000; tobacco, $24,500,000; articles transferred to free list, $6,000,000; alcohol used in arts, $7,000,000; miscellaneous reductions, $8,005,000. The internal revenue section of the bill provides for a tax of $1.50 per thousand on cigars, cigarettes, etc., weighing more than three pounds per thousand, and 50 cents per thousand for those of less weight. The bill proposes a slight increase in the present average tariff on wool and woollen goods. A number of articles are added to the free list, but none which the commission claim can in any manner come in competition with American labor.

VARIOUS PLACES.

Sydney, N. S. W., Oct. 3—M. Pasteur's method of exterminating rabbits has been tried experimentally on an island in the harbor with perfect success.

Berlin, Oct. 3—The relatives of Prof. Geffcken who was arrested for revealing state secrets in furnishing the *Deutsche Rundschau* with extracts from the Emperor Frederick's diary, have forwarded to court a medical certificate showing that the accused is suffering from *neuritas*. They ask the court to declare that Prof. Geffcken is not responsible for his actions.

Berlin, Oct. 3—The decree issued by President Carnot relative to the residence of foreigners in France is regarded here as a measure of retaliation of the recent passport regulations adopted by the German government.

London, Oct. 3—Drought prevails throughout the province of Luserat in India and a famine is threatened on the peninsula of Katiywar.

PARNELL AND THE TIMES.

London, Oct. 3—The Parnell indemnity fund has reached $29,000.

In consequence of the Tory sneers at the Parnell defence fund and their expressions of doubt that the money will be devoted to the purpose for which it is contributed, the funds collected in Ireland and Great Britain will be placed in the hands of trustees who will issue frequent balance sheets showing the extent of the fund and its disposition.

Sir Charles Russell privately ridicules the suggestion that any other result of the trial than utter collapse of the *Times'* charges can ensue, and in this view he intends to plead the enormity of Parnell's expense and probable prodigious cost of a trial in Scotland as an excuse for not calling any great number of witnesses. From what can be learned from other sources, however, it is evident the Parnellites have in store for the *Times* and the government as complete a surprise as any they have ever been treated to.

Montreal, Oct. 3—The Hon. Edward Blake sent $100 to the local treasurer of the Parnell Defence Fund.

MEETING OF EMPERORS.

Vienna, Oct. 3—The Emperor Francis Joseph, dressed in a Prussian uniform and wearing the decoration of the Prussian Order of the Black Eagle, received the Emperor as he alighted from the train. The band stationed on the platform playing "The Watch on the Rhine" as the two Emperors greeted each other. The Emperor William was clad in the uniform of the Austrian infantry regiment of which he is honorary colonel, and wore the decorations of the Order of Saint Stephen of Hungary and the collar of the Black Eagle. A large crowd had gathered at the station, and cheered enthusiastically as the two Emperors emerged form the station and drove away. As the party progressed the crowds became more dense and the enthusiasm was greater. The Western railway station was literally covered with flowers and flags and wholly reserved for the use of the Imperial party waiting to receive the German Kaiser. The principal waiting room was simply gorgeous in its decorations. The infantry regiment of which the Kaiser King of Prussia is honorary colonel, furnished the guard of honor, the troops of all arms lined the route from the station to the palace.

The Emperor William was entertained at a banquet this evening. The Emperor Francis Joseph, the Empress Elizabeth, the Crown Prince Rudolph, the Archduchess Stephenie, the German ambassadors and others were present.

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Bass XXXX A. (Lamb's Wool) at the Occidental Hotel bar.

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An Explanation.

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"Land Registry Ordinance, 1870."

Part of Lot No. 180, in the City of Victoria.

A CERTIFICATE OF INDEFEASIBLE Title to the above mentioned part of said Lot will be issued to Felix Lelaire, on the 29th day of September, 1888, unless in the meantime a valid objection thereto be made to the undersigned, in writing, by some person claiming an estate or interest in said part of said Lot or some portion thereof.

CHAS. JAS. LEGGATT,
Registrar-General.
Land Registry Office, Victoria,
28th June, 1888. jo28 2m

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that, 60 days after date, we intend making application to the Hon. the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to purchase 5,000 acres of land, situate on Queen Charlotte Island, and described as follows:—

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"Land Registry Ordinance, 1870."

Subdivision No. 2, of Lot 5, of Suburban Lot No. LI, Esquimalt District.

A CERTIFICATE OF INDEFEASIBLE Title to the above mentioned Subdivision will be issued to William Charles White, on the 16th of November, 1888, unless in the meantime a valid objection thereto be made to the undersigned, in writing, by some person claiming an estate or interest in said subdivision or some portion thereof.

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Per Steamer R. P. Rithet, from Westminster—Mr and Mrs Henderson, Mr and Mrs A C Wells, Mrs Harrison, Mr and Mrs J Kipp, Mr J C Wells, Mrs Hodge, Mrs Thomber, Miss Woodward, Miss McKee, Miss Boyd, Mr and Mrs Holden, Miss McRae, Mr and Mrs Ashall, Mrs Hall, Mr and Mrs Scrimmer, Mr Dickenson, F Schindler, G W Cradsey, McGillivray, J McDonald, B Law, W J H McDonald, T Kerr, W Anderson, T Cunningham, B Kehoe, W Madden, W McKee, J H Ladner, Mr Cope, J Parmenter, Mr Fovey, Mr Young, McRae, Pranger, W H Slings, Blake, Scroggins, Hutchinson.

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DIED.

WATT—On the 25th September at Meaford, Ontario, of typhoid fever, contracted while visiting friends prior to her intended return to B. C., Mary Grain, beloved wife of Dr. Hugh Watt, of the Royal Cariboo Hospital, Barkerville, B. C.

CITY AND PROVINCE.

—Largest spring chickens of the season at Beauchamp's, Yates street.

—The largest pack by one cannery on the Fraser, up to date, is 15,000 cases, made by Ewen's cannery.

—A grand ball was given at Ladner's as a wind-up to the exhibition. About sixty couples were present.

—The first drawing of the Victoria Building Society will take place at Harmony Hall at 8 o'clock this evening.

PERSONAL.

Items Telling of the Movements of Well Known Persons.

C Jackson, of Ferny Coombe is in the city.

W H Ladner, M P P, and son are in town.

E Hodgson, butcher of Nanaimo, is in the city.

H Webb, deputy sheriff of Chilliwhack, is in town.

W and Jas Haslam, of Nanaimo are at the Oriental.

D McRae, timber inspector, Vancouver, is at the Oriental.

J C Henderson and wife, Chilliwhack, are down to the show.

Wm Forrest, of Lisden, Cowichan, is stopping at the Clarence.

Geo Henderson arrived down from the Nicola mines last night.

J Reece, one of Chilliwhack's most extensive farmers, is at the Oriental.

Mrs Harrison of the Valley hotel, and Mrs Roberts of Chilliwhack are in the city.

J M McDonald, of McDonald Bros., grocers, New Westminster, is at the Clarence.

T D Jones and wife and Robt Rivers and wife, Nanaimo, came down on today's train.

Chas Esplin, with a family of six, arrived from Minneapolis last evening to take up their residence in this city.

The following ladies and gentlemen arrived last night on the steamer Rithet to attend the exhibition of the B. C. Agricultural Society: Mr and Mrs Henderson, Mr and Mrs A C Wells, Mrs Harrison, W H Ladner, M P P, T Ladner, G W Chadsey and wife, W McKee, A Gillanders, Mr and Mrs Ashwell, Mr and Mrs Kipp, J C Wells, Mr and Mrs Vedder, T Cunningham, Mrs Hall, D McGillvary, Miss McKee, Miss Boyd, Mr and Mrs Holden, W D Ferris, J Parmiter.

RESCUED AT NANAIMO.

Three Men Taken from the Harbor—Was it Attempted Murder?

(Special to The Times.)

Nanaimo, Oct. 3—Last night loud cries for help were heard out in the bay by several parties. A boat rushed out to the rescue from the shipping in the harbor and three men were pulled from watery graves. When landed one was found to be badly cut about the head. He was drunk, and the authorities took charge of him. He accused the other two of beating him with a club. They left him at once when taken ashore. The man in charge is terribly cut about the head.

POLICE COURT.

(Before City Police Magistrate Richards, Q. C.)

Edward Marsden was charged by Officer Lavin with being a vagrant. Remanded until to-morrow.

R. Carr paid a fine for trotting on James Bay bridge.

Cornelius Toomey, on remand from yesterday on a charge of vagrancy. His Honor after hearing evidence for the defence decided to dismiss the case.

Harry Chalers, charged with being drunk and disorderly. Discharged.

W. Pardey, on a similar charge, pleaded guilty to being drunk and disorderly and was fined $5 or ten days imprisonment.

His Honor said drunkenness was not an offence under the law and he would call the attention of the council to the fact that a man must necessarily be drunk "and disorderly" before the offence is considered a crime.

Chipsey Davenport was fined $5 for obstructing passengers by screaming.

D. Macphie was charged with infracting the street by-law. Charge withdrawn.

For London.

Two car loads of seal skins for London were shipped in transit an the Rithet this morning.

Buggy Tops.

A consignment of Buggy Tops, of the latest improved description, just received. Call and see them. J. MESTON.

General Middleton.

Major-General Middleton was entertained at dinner last evening by the officers of C Battery and the B. C. G. A. This evening the General will be a guest at the annual dinner of the B. C. Agricultural Society.

Social.

Visitors to the city should remember the social in the school room of the First Presbyterian Church, Pandora street, to-morrow (Friday) evening. A special programme and refreshments; beginning at 8 p. m. prompt.

Cruelty to Animals.

The attention of the police is directed by the society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Animals to the practice of leaving calves, pigs, &c., on the wharves without food or water for two or three days at a time.

Saturday-Half Holiday.

The employees of the Albion Iron Works have drawn up a petition for a half holiday on Saturday which has been signed, with one or two exceptions, by every man in the works. A movement in which workers are so unanimous is likely to prevail in the end.

Social Entertainment.

The Young People's Literary Association of the Pandora Street Presbyterian Church will hold a social entertainment to-morrow evening commencing at eight o'clock. An excellent programme has been prepared and a pleasant time is in store for those who attend the social.

Young Man Drowned.

A man named Thomas Kaisy fell from the collier Coeta Rica on Monday last and was drowned. The accident happened at Nanaimo where the steamship is loading coal. The deceased was aged 20 years and was a native of England. The body has not been recovered.

The British Columbia Directory.

A new directory is now being compiled for the province of British Columbia. It will contain full descriptions and reliable information of the various places, besides an accurate list of the residents, &c., a personal canvass having been made by Thomas Draper. Owing to the large increase in the province, the volume will be at least double the thickness of previous years. Publishing offices, R. T. Williams, 28 Broad St., Victoria.

Deep Sea Fishing.

H. Saunders, the enterprising Johnson street merchant, has fitted out the schooner Theresa for another voyage to the deep sea fishing grounds off Queen Charlotte Island. The vessel is manned by Newfoundland fishermen. Trawls will be used.

Capt. Alex. McLean is also fitting out the schooner Mary Ellen for a voyage of six weeks duration in the waters of Queen Charlotte Sound. He has shipped a crew of experienced fishermen, and expects to start for the cod banks to-morrow morning.

Marine Notes.

Ship Tam O'Shanter, 1522 tons, has been chartered to load coal at San Francisco for San Francisco.

Steamer Abyssinia, from Vancouver, arrived at Hong Kong on Sept. 27th.

Steamer Mexico on her last trip from San Francisco brought a cargo valued at $8 985, including 630 galls wine, 1,535 lbs tobacco, 165 cs canned goods, 1,000 lbs of rice, 1,550 lbs coffee, 496 lbs tea, 43,500 lbs malt, 295 lbs butter, etc; also, for New York, 400 cs canned fruit, valued at $1,450.

Bark Arabella is loading coal at Nanaimo.

ACCIDENT AT ESQUIMALT.

Particulars of the Casualty on Board H. M. S. Caroline.

Last evening, shortly after THE TIMES went to press, information was received of a terrible accident on board H. M. S. Caroline, by which a young man named Thomas Drudy lost his life and another leading seaman, named William Langmead, was seriously, perhaps fatally, injured. Enquiries made to-day elicited the following particulars of the accident, which has cast a gloom over the vessel on which the young men were favorites: General Middleton and staff were leaving the vessel, after paying a visit to the commander, Sir William Wiseman. As is customary on such occasions, a salute of thirteen guns was being fired. The deceased, who was an acting seaman gunner, had charge of the third gun on the starboard side, and was in the act of reloading when the charge suddenly exploded, blowing the breech across the deck and instantly killing the young man. His body was thrown over to the port side against a gun which was in charge of William Langmead. The latter was struck on both feet by the breech, which weighs about 100 pounds, and was thrown to the deck. The body of Drudy which was lying on the deck in an almost unrecognizable mass, was picked up and taken to the sick berths. When Langmead was raised from the deck it was found that both of his feet were severely injured. He was taken below and everything possible done for the wounded man by Dr. Brown and his assistants. Shortly after the injured seaman was taken to the Naval Hospital. Both feet were severely fractured and it is doubtful whether he will recover the use of his limbs. The deceased, Thomas Drudy, was a native of England, and shipped on board the Caroline at Sheerness nearly three years ago. He was 24 years of age and was greatly respected by his comrades. The funeral will take place on Saturday. Deceased intended to come ashore at 6 o'clock last night on general leave. An investigation was held on board the vessel to-day to ascertain the cause of the accident. The gun was a 5-inch breechloader, and is one of the latest guns in the service.

—The coal output at the Nanaimo collieries for the month of September amounted to 13,809 tons, valued at $175,000.

THE ALLEGED EMBEZZLEMENT.

Continuation of the Evidence Taken Yesterday.

The evidence for the prosecution was read over and Mr. Robinson was asked whether he had anything to say.

Mr. Robinson replied that he was not guilty of embezzling or any other crime.

Mr. Partridge was called for the defence, and said he knew Russell's handwriting; the stubs contained in the book produced are all in Russell's handwriting; remember last Monday afternoon; Mr. Earle, the Mayor and Mr. Robinson came to the City Hall; on Friday the offices and safes were taken possession of by the police and everything sealed; neither Mr. Russell or Mr. Robinson could have had access to the premises since; saw the Mayor and Mr. Robinson at the drawer; saw the Mayor hand the receipts produced to Mr. Robinson after taking them out of the drawer.

To Mr. Davie—Was present when Messrs. Russell and Robinson were suspended; they were asked to be present at a meeting to be held that evening.

Mayor Grant said—I am Mayor of the city; know Mr. Robinson, the city clerk; recollect a conversation with the defendant last December regarding a bond for $1000 which he paid over to the City Treasurer; it was thought at the time that the money would have to be refunded to the Provincial Government; Mr. Robinson mentioned that he would keep that amount on hand in case he was called upon to pay it back; the money was paid to the City Treasurer in June; was not prepared to say whether it was a mistake in paying it to the Treasurer. Last Monday asked Mr. Robinson to come up and open his safe he having said that he had some receipts in his drawer. I found them there and made a note of them which I now produce. Ald. Harris was present at the time. Received letter produced from Mr. Robinson. He explained that he had some of the money in the safe and the rest in hand which he was prepared to pay into the Council if required. The auditor should look after the books not the Councillors; to his knowledge Mr. Robinson was never asked for an explanation by the Council.

Cross-examined by Mr. Davie—The by-law regarding the paying over of monies was practically a dead letter for years. Some time ago Mr. Bales brought to my notice several irregularities which looked bad on their face, but which might be explained. Did not see how much money was in the safe, which is private property. Mr. Partridge has the keys of Mr. Robinson's private safe locked up in the city safe.

His Worship decided to postpone the case for a week in order to have the matter cleared up in the meantime. Mr Robinson should pay over the money in hand at once, say to-morrow morning.

Mr. Davie asked what amount of money was in the safe?

Mr. Mills said he would not satisfy anybody as to the amount in the safe.

The case was adjourned for one week. Defendant was admitted to bail in the sum of $1,500.

Mr. Mills requested His Honor to allow Mr. Robinson out on his own recognizance.

His Honor—(addressing Mr. Davie)—I suppose he can go out on his own recognizance.

Mr. Davie objected and said he wanted Mr. Robinson to furnish bail.

His Honor—Well, let him find bail in the sum of $1,500.

THE NEW CHARGE.

J. D. Robinson's case, on a charge of being an accessory after the fact in the defalcations of Thos. Russell was resumed to-day. Theo. Davie appeared for the prosecution. W. Duck, from S. Perry Mills' office, appeared for the defence.

The information was read over and sworn to by Sergt. Sheppard.

Mr. Davie said the substance of the charge is that Mr. Russell for many years was collector and treasurer for the city; from 1881 until last Friday. An audit of the books showed that his accounts were short about $4,211; the shortage was caused by falsification of figures, as an example: Mr. J. Yates paid $426.50, which is entered as $26.50, paid in by James Young. There is another class of embezzlement. In the month of October an error is made in addition of the figures which shows that $300 was not carried forward. This is the way the defalcations were carried on; until 1884, Mr. Robinson was Auditor, and must have seen some of the defalcations if he audited the books. The amount paid by Mr. Yates was paid in during the time Mr. Robinson was Auditor. These amounts named in the information occurred in this way, and were passed over by the Auditor. In relation to entering the name of James Young for James Yates, there can be no mistake, for there is no James Young on the assessment roll. A receipt for Lun Chung for $250 is on the stub book and is entered in the cash book at $5. Another defalcation is of a sum of $50 paid by Mr. Bull, which is only entered in the cash book as $50. In 1883 Lun Chung paid another sum amounting to $250, which is entered as $5. All these defalcations occurred whilst Mr. Robinson was Auditor.

His Honor—The question might be raised that he neglected his duty.

Mr. Davie—The defence might set up that question; but the court cannot assume that he neglected his duty. Until 1884, Mr. Leigh was clerk and Mr. Robinson acted as auditor only. There can be no question that Mr. Robinson's time was not then taken up attending to other city business.

J. C. Bales, sworn—I am an accountant; have been engaged auditing books belonging to the city of Victoria. At page 331, of the October payments, the cost on that month was $3830 45 instead of $4120; in the same place, during October, 1881, the taxes due for that year by James Yates, amounted to $426.50; the receipt produced is dated November 30th, 1882, for $426 50. The same number is entered in the cash book as $26.50, paid by James Young. No entry is made of the sum of $400 excepting on the receipt; the books containing the discrepency were audited and contains the auditor's marks; there is also a red mark on each of the receipts; I produced a receipt from Lun Chung on Jan. 17th, 1881, for $250; the same receipt is entered in the cash book as cash $5, received from Lung Chung. Another receipt shows that Mr. Clay paid $55 for licenses; this is entered in the cash book as $5. On July 8th, 1881, Lun Chung paid $250 for an opium license; it is entered in the name of J. Brown, having paid $5. The next is from W. K. Bull on 22nd Aug., 1881, and the amount received $50; it is entered as W. K. Bull having paid in $5. The cast on another page is $237.71, instead of $347.71, making a difference of $100; I think the books bear the marks of the auditor; I have had considerable experience as an auditor; should think it impossible for the discrepencies to pass an auditor; I discovered the wrong casts when I went to the City Hall to point out the necessity for an audit; I discovered the discrepency in Mr. Yates' case after the special audit; discovered most of the discrepencies before July 1st. Upon discovering these things before the audit, I reported my discoveries to the Mayor; he did not think anything wrong; I showed him the three wrong casts, the Yates transaction and I think some of those opium things; showed him the proofs; very likely I showed him others but I thought four or five striking ones would be sufficient. The case was remanded until Wednesday.

Mr. Duck stated that Mr. Mills would like to look over the books of the corporation.

Permission was granted and the defendant was allowed out on his own recognizance on this charge.

THE CLUB THEATER.

Synopsis of Rev. Mr. Wadman's Lecture—A Terrible Impeachment.

"Is the young man Absalom safe?" was the question which fell from the lips of an anxious father concerning his boy. Seated in the door of a fortress over against the gate of the city, not so anxious as to know whether his troops or Absalom's should win, but chiefly anxious as to whether his child was safe, and so this was the question which first fell upon the ears of each messenger arriving from the seat of war, until the awful negative which proved such a sorrowful blow to the poor old father was at last received. Last Monday evening I spent an hour or so in the Club Theater. My purpose in going to such a strange place was to become the better acquainted with the nature of the many temptations to which the young men of this city are exposed. I went as a physician enters a fever ward. I felt as the Duke of Wellington felt when the bullets of Waterloo were buzzing around his head—"God and my country demand my presence here." Let me tell you what I saw. The appearance of the outside of the building is a pretty fair index of its inside appearance. Dark, dull, dirty and repulsive. My friend, a member of my church and an ex-officer of the police force, and myself entered the place about 8:45 and took our seats in the gallery. In a few moments the music began, and from first to last everything was carried on under the inspiration of music. The doors swung open and shut, glasses clinked and were tapped, cigars were lighted and smoked, friends shook hands and chatted—all to music. Oh! why can't we as church workers and temperance reformers rescue this agency out of the hands of the devil and convert it into an agency for God and the right. Away with your minor dirges and solemn refrains, and let us play and sing such tunes as armies like to sing when pursuing their retreating foes. At the tinkling of a little bell, as the curtain lifted, a woman appeared to sing a solo, whose boldness of attire should have awakened the indignation of any public gathering, and to have hissed her off the stage and out of sight and hearing. From the little I saw on Monday evening I do not now wonder that hundreds of my fellow men owe their eternal damnation to the immodesty and downright indecency of womanly attire. Look at the fashion plate of the city of Troy, in Isaiah, 3 chap, and remembering the awful judgment which came down upon that city, are you not surprised that other places are not destroyed with similar scourge and woe. From the stage I looked to the audience. The room was full. There were boys, middle-aged men and one or two whose locks were white and manner feeble. The patrons of that theatre all smoked, and as a corroboration of the truthfulness of the statement, which we often hear that, the habit of smoking frequently leads to worse habits this smoking went hand-in-hand with the flow of the intoxicating beverages. They all drank. Whether you know it or not, on the same floor, beneath the same roof, without a door or a passage between is a bar, regarded by the manager of the Club Theatre as the chief source of revenue in connection with the institution. A licensed bar, mark you. Before, between, and after the scenes, all the while the boys treated and were treated. Two waiters were busily constantly engaged as the customers filled up in dozens and scores. I said to myself, "The courts that license the sale of strong drink for such a place as this licenses profanity, vulgarity, lewdness, whore-mongery and everything else that is bad and devilish." Oh! that I could say a word to-night that would cut. What this city needs at the present moment is indignation meetings. Let us hope that the revelations that are taking place in civic matters will prove but the beginning of a new order of things. When, as you all well know, it is currently reported and pretty generally believed that our police are either in complicity with the state of things around us or else stupidly and lamly indifferent, is it not high time that they were clubbed with their own clubs and their places filled by men not afraid to enforce law and order? I arraign not only the police but the press as well, at least the portion of it with which I am familiar. To read one of the leading newspapers of this city (I mean plainly the *Colonist*), and notice the paragraphs appearing in its columns from day to day—paragraphs eulogizing in glowing terms the spirit and enterprise of the managers of the Club Theatre, as well as eulogizing the highly interesting and instructive entertainments which are being given from night to night, is to conclude either that the editors of that paper are running their business for the sole purpose of the almighty dollar, or that they themselves are in complicity with the state of things prevailing in our midst.

From that gallery yonder I saw a dozen or more of mere lads occupying the front forms and gazing upon the awful scenes of iniquity around and about. These were boys from some of our respectable homes. I charge upon the parents the sins of their children. The judgment seat of Christ will have for many some awful revelations. I saw young men there for the first time. I saw them waver, then doubt, then waver again and finally yield. I saw evidences of the subtle power of evil. Tears of gratitude flowed down my cheek as I thought, this might have been my case. I thanked God for a Christian home, for an innocent country life until I was 12 or 13 years of age, and then I wept tears of pity for those who had fallen so low. These are somebody's boys. Away yonder the old grey-haired parents have taken down the well thumbed family Bible to read the evening chapter and offer their evening supplication. Ah! the longing of their hearts as they bow in prayer yonder—"God bless our absent boy this night." What, friends, can we do to help some of these young men from the floodtides of evil. Are we as churches or temperance societies, or reform institutions doing our duty? What place of entertainment or amusement have these young people to go to, if not to the Club Theatre, &c. The Y. M. C. A. ought to be helped. Mr. Teague, the secretary, needs our assistance, the assistances of the ladies particularly in order to make his rooms attractive and home like. Help him. Then as churches we can do much more than we are doing. As families we can throw open our homes a little more than we have done and give these young men whom we know a cordial welcome from time to time, who have no home comforts nor home influences. As individuals, too, there's for each of us a work to do. May the spirit of God open our eyes and lead us in the way of duty and helpfulness.

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